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Calendar for 1878-79.

1878.

Friday, March 8, Winter Term closes.

SPRING VACATION.

Tuesday, March 26, Spring Term begins.

Thursday, May 30, Examination of Seniors.

Thursday, June 13, Regular Examinations begin.

Sunday, June 16, Baccalaureate.

Monday, June 7, Anniversary of the Literary Societies.

Monday, June 17, Annual Meeting of the Trustees.

Tuesday, June 18, Alumni Anniversary and Reunion.

Wednesday, June 19, COMMENCEMENT.

SUMMER VACATION.

Tuesday, September 3, Examinations for Admission.

Wednesday, September 4, Fall Term begins.

Tuesday, November 26, Examinations begin.

Friday, November 29, Fall Term closes.

Saturday, November 30, Winter Term begins.

Friday, December 20, Holiday Vacation begins.

1879.

Tuesday, January 7, Exercises resumed.

Tuesday, March 4, Examinations begin.

Friday, March 7, Winter Term closes.

SPRING VACATION.

Tuesday, March 25, Spring Term begins.

Thursday, May 29, Examination of Seniors.

Thursday, June 12, Regular Examinations begin.

Sunday, June 15, Baccalaureate.

Monday, June 16, Annual Meeting of the Trustees.

Wednesday, June 18, COMMENCEMENT.

TRUSTEES.

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HON. V. B. HORTON, - - - Pomeroy, -	1844
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WM. WADDLE, M. D., - - Chillicothe, -	1864
HON. H. S. BUNDY, - - - Jackson, -	1864
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HON. W. W. JOHNSON, - - Ironton, -	1876
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CONFERRED AT LAST COMMENCEMENT, JUNE 25, 1877.

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STUDENTS.

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SCIENTIFIC.

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74 E. C.

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ABRAM H. GUNNETT,	<i>Lucasville,</i>	41 E. C.
JOHN HUMPHREY,	<i>Coolville,</i>	Mrs. Boyd's.
HAMILTON A. HUNTER,	<i>Jackson,</i>	22 C. C.
HARVEY J. HUNTER,	<i>Jackson,</i>	69 W. C.
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HERBERT A. JUNOD,	<i>Athens,</i>	53 E. C.
WILLIAM G. JUNOD,	<i>Athens.</i>	52 E. C.
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NAMES.	RESIDENCES.	ROOMS.
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WILLIAM S. BARTON,	<i>Ilesboro,</i>	24 C. C.
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HENRY A. BROWN,	<i>Scioto,</i>	76 W. C.
HUGH G. CAMPBELL,	<i>Nelsonville,</i>	35 E. C.
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NATHANIEL HART,	<i>Huffman's,</i>	46 E. C.
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CHARLES F. SCOTT,	<i>Athens,</i>	Pres. Scott's.
GEORGE F. SIMMS,	<i>Starr,</i>	35 E. C.
FANNIE L. SWAIN,	<i>McArthur,</i>	Mr. Dorr's.
HELEN M. TOWNSEND,	<i>Athens,</i>	Mr. Townsend's.
NELLIE H. VAN VORHES,	<i>Athens,</i>	Mr. Van Vorhes's.
HARRISON D. WILLIAMS,	<i>Malta,</i>	27 C. C.
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ALBERT T. WYATT,	<i>Amesville,</i>	24 C. C.

COURSES OF STUDY.

I. CLASSICAL.

FRESHMAN YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Cicero de Senectute,
Latin Prose Composition,
Xenophon's Cyropædia,
Greek Prose Composition,
Plane Geometry,

Chase and Stuart.
Harkness.
Græca Majora.
Boise.
Chauvenet.

SECOND TERM.

Cicero's Orations,
Latin Prose Composition,
Herodotus,
Greek Prose Composition,
History of Greece,
Solid Geometry,

Chase and Stuart.
Græca Majora.
Boise.
Smith.
Chauvenet.

THIRD TERM.

Horace's Odes,
Latin Prose Composition,
Xenophon's Memorabilia,
History of Greece,
Algebra,

Lincoln.
Græca Majora.
Smith.
Ficklin.

SOPHOMORE YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Livy,	<i>Lincoln.</i>
History of Rome,	<i>Merivale.</i>
Dialogues of Plato,	
Plane Trigonometry and Surveying,	<i>Schuyler.</i>
Physiology,	<i>Hooker.</i>

SECOND TERM.

Cicero de Oratore,	<i>Dillaway.</i>
History of Rome,	<i>Merivale.</i>
Dialogues of Plato,	
Spherical Trigonometry and Navigation,	<i>Schuyler.</i>
Zoology,	<i>Tenney.</i>

THIRD TERM.

Horace's Epistles,	<i>Lincoln.</i>
Demosthenes de Corona,	<i>Champlin.</i>
Analytical Geometry,	<i>Loomis.</i>
Botany,	<i>Wood.</i>



JUNIOR YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Chemical Physics,	<i>Youmans.</i>
Theoretical Chemistry,	<i>Barker.</i>
Rhetoric,	<i>Hepburn.</i>
English Literature,	<i>Shaw.</i>
<i>Elective.</i>	
Calculus,	<i>Loomis.</i>
Germania and Agricola,	<i>Tyler.</i>
German,	<i>Comfort's Ger. Course.</i>

SECOND TERM.

Physics,	<i>Deschanel.</i>
Descriptive Chemistry,	{ <i>Youmans.</i> <i>Barker.</i>
Psychology,	
<i>Elective.</i>	<i>Haven, with Lectures.</i>
Thucydides' History,	<i>Harper's Text.</i>
German,	<i>Comfort's Ger. Course.</i>

THIRD TERM.

Physics,	<i>Deschanel.</i>
Mineralogy,	<i>Dana.</i>
Psychology,	<i>Haven, with Lectures.</i>
<i>Elective.</i>	
Tacitus' History,	<i>Tyler.</i>
German,	

SECOND YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Geology,	<i>Dana.</i>
Astronomy,	<i>Loomis.</i>
Moral Philosophy,	
Logic,	

SECOND TERM.

Astronomy,	<i>Loomis.</i>
Political Economy,	
International Law,	<i>Woolsey.</i>
Butler's Analogy,	

THIRD TERM.

Greek Tragedy, or Latin Comedy,	
History of Philosophy,	<i>Lectures.</i>
History of Civilization,	<i>Guizot.</i>
Constitution of the United States,	

Through the Sophomore and Junior years there are weekly recitations in the Greek Testament. Frequent and stated Rhetorical exercises are required throughout the course.

II. SCIENTIFIC.

FRESHMAN YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Cæsar,	<i>Chase and Stuart.</i>
Classical Geography,	<i>Schmitz.</i>
Algebra,	<i>Ray.</i>
Physiology,	<i>Hooker.</i>

SECOND TERM.

Virgil,	<i>Chase and Stuart.</i>
Latin Prose Composition,	<i>Harkness.</i>
Algebra,	<i>Ficklin.</i>
Zoology,	<i>Tenney.</i>

THIRD TERM.

Virgil,	<i>Chase and Stuart.</i>
Latin Prose Composition,	<i>Harkness.</i>
Algebra,	<i>Ficklin.</i>
Botany,	<i>Wood.</i>

SOPHOMORE YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Cicero de Senectute,	<i>Chase and Stuart.</i>
Latin Prose Composition,	<i>Harkness.</i>
Plane Geometry,	<i>Chauvenet.</i>
Chemical Physics,	<i>Youmans.</i>
Theoretical Chemistry,	<i>Barker.</i>
English Literature,	<i>Shaw.</i>

SECOND TERM.

Cicero's Orations,	<i>Chase and Stuart.</i>
Latin Prose Composition,	
Solid Geometry,	<i>Chauvenet.</i>
Descriptive Chemistry,	{ <i>Youmans.</i> <i>Barker.</i>

THIRD TERM.

Horace's Odes,	<i>Lincoln.</i>
Latin Prose Composition,	
Algebra,	<i>Ficklin.</i>
Mineralogy,	<i>Dana.</i>

JUNIOR YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Livy,	<i>Lincoln.</i>
History of Rome,	<i>Merivale.</i>
Plane Trigonometry and Surveying,	<i>Schuyler.</i>
Rhetoric,	<i>Hepburn.</i>
<i>Elective.</i>	
Germania and Agricola,	
German,	<i>Comfort.</i>

SECOND TERM.

Spherical Trigonometry and Navigation,	<i>Schuyler.</i>
Physics,	<i>Deschanel.</i>
Psychology,	<i>Haven, with Lectures.</i>

Elective.

Cicero de Oratore,	<i>Dillaway.</i>
History of Rome,	<i>Merivale.</i>
German,	<i>Comfort.</i>

THIRD TERM.

Analytical Geometry,	<i>Loomis.</i>
Physics,	<i>Deschanel.</i>
Psychology,	<i>Haven, with Lectures.</i>

Elective.

Tacitus' History,	<i>Tyler.</i>
German,	

 SENIOR YEAR.
FIRST TERM.

Astronomy,	<i>Loomis.</i>
Geology,	<i>Dana.</i>
Moral Philosophy,	
Logic,	

SECOND TERM.

Astronomy,	<i>Loomis.</i>
International Law,	<i>Woolsey.</i>
Political Economy,	
Butler's Analogy,	

THIRD TERM.

Epistles of Horace,	<i>Lincoln.</i>
History of Philosophy,	<i>Lectures.</i>
History of Civilization,	<i>Guizot.</i>
Constitution of the United States.	

Preparatory Department.

MILTON S. VAIL, A.B.,
Principal, and Instructor in Greek and Latin.

DAVID W. PARKS,
Assistant, and Instructor in English.

This department is designed to prepare students for the regular courses of the College department. Students are also received who may wish to pursue elementary studies, even though they may have no intention of entering upon one of the higher courses.

Candidates for admission must furnish satisfactory evidence of good character, and must pass examination in geography, arithmetic as far as percentage, English grammar as far as syntax, and all studies of the course lower than those which they wish to pursue.

COURSES OF STUDY.

I. CLASSICAL.

FIRST YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Punctuation,	<i>Hart.</i>
Physical Geography,	<i>Houston.</i>
Latin,	{ <i>Harkness' Grammar.</i> <i>Jones's Lessons.</i>
History of the United States,	<i>Ridpath.</i>

SECOND TERM.

Composition,	<i>Hart.</i>
Latin,	{ <i>Harkness' Grammar.</i> <i>Jones's Lessons.</i>
Greek,	<i>White's First Lessons.</i>
History of England,	<i>Thalheimer.</i>

THIRD TERM.

Analysis of Sentences,	<i>Greene.</i>
Composition,	<i>Hart.</i>
Latin,	{ <i>Harkness' Grammar.</i> <i>Jones's Lessons.</i>
Greek,	<i>White's First Lessons.</i>

SECOND YEAR.

FIRST TERM.

Algebra,	<i>Ray.</i>
Caesar,	<i>Chase and Stuart.</i>
Xenophon's Anabasis,	<i>Boise.</i>
Greek Prose Composition,	<i>Jones.</i>
Classical Geography,	<i>Schmitz.</i>

SECOND TERM.

Algebra,	<i>Ficklin.</i>
Virgil,	<i>Chase und Stuart.</i>
Latin Prose Composition,	<i>Harkness.</i>
Xenophon's Anabasis,	<i>Boise.</i>
Greek Prose Composition,	<i>Jones.</i>

THIRD TERM.

Algebra,	<i>Ficklin.</i>
Virgil,	<i>Chase und Stuart.</i>
Latin Prose Composition,	<i>Harkness.</i>
Homer,	<i>Owen.</i>
Greek Prose Composition.	<i>Jones.</i>

II. SCIENTIFIC.

FIRST TERM.

Punctuation,	<i>Hart.</i>
History of the United States,	<i>Ridpath.</i>
Physical Geography,	<i>Houston.</i>
Latin,	{ <i>Harkness' Grammar.</i> <i>Jones's Lessons.</i>

SECOND TERM.

English Grammar,	<i>Harvey.</i>
Composition,	<i>Hart.</i>
History of England,	<i>Thalheimer.</i>
Latin,	{ <i>Harkness' Grammar.</i> <i>Jones's Lessons.</i>

THIRD TERM.

English Analysis,	<i>Greene.</i>
Composition,	<i>Hart.</i>
Arithmetic,	<i>White.</i>
Latin,	{ <i>Harkness' Grammar.</i> <i>Jones's Lessons.</i>

OHIO UNIVERSITY.

ORIGIN OF THE UNIVERSITY.

The Ohio University is the oldest literary institution northwest of the Ohio river. Its existence was provided for as early as 1787, in the purchase made from the government of the United States by the Ohio Company of Associates. By the contract between these two parties, two townships of land were set apart for the purpose of a University and placed under the care of the Legislature of the State. The University was organized under an act of the Legislature passed in 1804. Its trustees are appointed by State authority, and the Governor of the State is, *ex-officio*, a member of the Board.

LOCATION.

Athens, the seat of the University, is situated in the southeastern part of the State. It is easily accessible from the east and west by the Marietta & Cincinnati Railroad and its branches, and from the central and northern portions of the State by the Columbus & Hocking Valley Railroad. By these routes it is about one hundred and sixty miles east from Cincinnati, and seventy-five miles southeast from Columbus.

LIBRARIES.

There are three libraries connected with the institution, which contain many rare and valuable books. These afford to students the means of reference to standard authorities in almost every department of knowledge, and an opportunity to become acquainted with the best literature of the present and former times.

APPARATUS AND CABINET.

Much valuable apparatus has been procured for the various departments of mathematics, astronomy, physics, and chemistry; and these subjects are illustrated by experiments. The cabinet affords important aid in the study of mineralogy and geology. Contributions to this department are earnestly solicited from the friends of the institution.

During the year the following contributions to the cabinet have been received. Some fine impressions of ferns and calamites from Mr. Abram Lash; a large specimen of ammonite from Mr. George Falloon, surveyor of Athens county; and a beautiful specimen of travertine, showing the delicate veining of leaves, etc. For all of these acknowledgements are due, and it is very desirable that others shall aid in rendering this department more full and complete.

LITERARY SOCIETIES.

There are two literary societies in the University—the Athenian and the Philomathean. The members have opportunity to exercise themselves in declamation, composition and debate, and to become familiar with the modes of conducting business in deliberative assemblies. Each of these societies has its own hall and library.

COURSES OF STUDY.

Such courses of study have been adopted as experience has proved to be best adapted to the purposes of liberal education. The classical course, in fullness and arrangement, will compare favorably with that of the best institutions. The scientific course is so arranged as to meet the wants of young men whose circumstances will not permit them to pursue the fuller course of the classical department. It includes all of the classical course except the Greek; or the student in this course may elect to follow the classical course, omitting all the Greek and Latin after the Freshman year.

Those who are able to attend for a short time only may take a select course, provided the studies they may wish to pursue are such as they are qualified to take up with advantage. But no student will take a study to which he has not been assigned, or discontinue a study without permission obtained from the faculty.

No students, except Seniors, are permitted to recite in the Senior studies of the third term; and the Senior examinations of the third term are limited to the regular Senior studies of that term.

ELECTIVE STUDIES.

Several elective studies have been introduced into the junior year. Each member of the junior class will be required to take four full studies each term, but he may choose which of the elective studies he will take in addition to those prescribed. If German is selected, it must be continued through the year.

METHODS OF INSTRUCTION.

Instruction is given both by recitations and lectures. The constant aim in both is to awaken interest in study, to aid

in the acquisition of knowledge, and to develop the powers of thought and communication.

Lectures are delivered by the President during the second term on psychology, and during the third term on the history of philosophy; by the Professor of ancient classics on the language, literature and history pertaining to that department; and by the Professor of natural sciences on chemistry, geology, and astronomy.

The classes in botany and geology make excursions into the surrounding country that they may collect specimens and derive scientific knowledge from original sources. The class in surveying has practice in the use of instruments by actual work.

MANUALS AND BOOKS OF REFERENCE.

Harkness's, Allen and Greenough's, Zumpt's' and Madvig's Latin Grammars.

Hadley's and Goodwin's Greek Grammars.

Goodwin's Greek Moods and Tenses.

Anthon's Classical Dictionary.

Fiske's Manual of Classical Literature.

Autenrieth's Homeric Dictionary.

Long's Classical Atlas.

Andrew's and Bullion's Latin Lexicons.

Liddell and Scott's and Pickering's Greek Lexicons.

Porter's Human Intellect.

Bain's Mental Science.

Ueberweg's History of Philosophy.

Thalheimer's Histories.

ADMISSION.

Applicants for admission must present satisfactory testimonials of good character; and students coming from other colleges must present certificates of honorable dismissal.

Examinations for admission are held on the day preceding the beginning of the college year, and on the first day of the second and third terms of the year. Candidates will therefore be present September 2, 1878, November 30, 1878, and March 25, 1879.

Candidates for advanced standing are, in all cases, examined to ascertain their thoroughness and proficiency; but certificates from other institutions will be accepted for the *amount* of work done in the classics.

Ladies are admitted to all departments of the University on the same terms and under the same conditions as those prescribed for young men.

DISCIPLINE.

Entering the University will be considered a pledge to obey its rules and regulations. These are few and simple, appealing to the student's self-respect and sense of personal responsibility.

A record is made of the daily work of each student. When the standing of a student, as shown by this record and the examinations, falls below a certain mark, he must review the study.

Records are kept also of each student's deportment. A low standing on either record is followed by private reproof and admonition, and notice is given to the parent or guardian.

Whenever the conduct of a student is such as to indicate that he is unfit to be a member of the University, either because of immorality or because of habitual neglect of his college duties, he will be dismissed. But in the latter case his parents will first be requested to withdraw him, and if not withdrawn within a reasonable time, he will be dismissed.

RELIGIOUS INFLUENCE.

The University is not sectarian, and no effort is made to inculcate the doctrines of any particular creed or denomination; but care is taken to promote sound and healthy religious sentiments. Students are required to be present at prayers in the chapel every morning; and to attend public worship on the Sabbath. A students' prayer-meeting is held once a week, at which attendance is optional.

DEGREES.

The degree of Bachelor of Arts is conferred on those who finish the entire classical course, and pass satisfactory examinations.

The degree of Master of Arts is conferred, on the payment of ten dollars, upon every Bachelor of Arts of three years' standing, who has sustained a good moral character and has pursued professional or scientific studies during that period. The application must be made in person or by letter at least one day before commencement.

The degree of Bachelor of Science is conferred on those who complete the scientific course.

The degree of Master of Science is conferred on Bachelors of Science of three years' standing, on the same conditions as those for the degree of Master of Arts.

EXPENSES.

The term fees, which are payable to the treasurer of the University on or before the first day of each term, are: Tuition, \$10.00; Room-rent, \$3.00 or \$4.00; Contingent expenses, \$3.00.

In the preparatory department the charges are: Tuition, \$6.00; Room-rent, \$3.00 or \$4.00; Contingent expenses, \$3.00.

One student from each county of the State is admitted free of charge for tuition. Any one desiring to have the benefit of a county scholarship must receive his appointment from the Auditor and Commissioners of the county, and obtain from them a certificate stating that he is of good moral character and an actual resident of the county from which he is sent.

All students, whether they hold scholarships or not, are charged for room-rent and contingent expenses, and are held liable for any damage that may be done their rooms.

Board can be obtained within a convenient distance of the University at \$2.50 to \$2.75 per week. By forming clubs many of the students board at \$1.75 to \$2.00 per week. Those students whose circumstances require it are allowed to board themselves, and by this means their expenses may be still further reduced.

The actual cost of an education at the University will depend very much upon the disposition and habits of the student. The necessary cost is very low—as low as at any other institution affording equal advantages. It is earnestly recommended to parents not to furnish their sons or daughters with extravagant means. The scholarship and character of a student are often injured by a free indulgence in the use of money. Whatever is beyond a reasonable supply exposes him to numerous temptations and endangers his happiness and respectability.

ALUMNI.

CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I. This Association shall be called the "Alumni Association of the Ohio University."

ART. II. The officers of this Association shall be a President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and an Executive Committee consisting of three members, to be chosen annually.

ART. III. The annual meetings of this Association shall be held in connection with the commencement exercises of the University.

ART. IV. The objects of this Association shall be to cultivate fraternal relations among the Alumni of the University, and to promote the interests of our Alma Mater by the holding of social reunions, by literary exercises, or by such other means as the Association may from time to time deem best.

ART. V. Any member of the Faculty, any graduate of the University, also any one who may have spent three years in the college classes of the University and been honorably dismissed, may by the payment of one dollar and the signing of this Constitution, become a member of this Association.

ART. VI. This Constitution may be altered or amended at any annual meeting by a vote of two-thirds of those present at such meeting.

ART. VII.—AMENDMENT. The members of this Association shall each pay into its treasury an annual fee of one dollar, and the sums so paid shall be expended in defraying the expenses of the annual reunions.

OFFICERS OF THE ASSOCIATION FOR 1878-79.

<i>President,</i>	HON. A. G. BROWN, of Athens, Class of 1822.
<i>Vice Pres't,</i>	L. M. JEWETT, " " 1861.
<i>Secretary,</i>	H. M. LASH, " " 1869.
<i>Treasurer,</i>	E. J. JONES, " " 1873.
<i>Ex. Com ,</i>	{ CHARLES TOWNSEND, " " 1861.
	{ J. A. WHITE, " " 1874.
	{ H. F. ACKER, New Lexington, " 1875.



